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The reply filed on January 18, 2007 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s). All grounds of rejection stated in the previous office action have not been addressed. It is noted that the instant application is a continuation-in-part of Application Serial No. 10/374,523 and 10/678,653 is a continuation-in-part of 10/374,523. Applicants' Representative is requested to check the claims in each of the copending applications and present claims in each of the applications that are patentably distinct. Further, Applicants' Representative is requested to address the outstanding office action in 10/374,523 so that the parent case can be placed in condition for allowance before the instant application is acted upon by the Examiner. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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